NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS	SERIES 100 GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	SUPERSEDES: AR 107 (07/28/02)
ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS MANUAL	ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION 107 EMERGENCY RESPONSE MANUAL	EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/20/03

### TABLE OF CONTENTS

**PURPOSE** 

<u>AUTHORITY</u>

**RESPONSIBILITY** 

**DEFINITIONS** 

**APPLICABILITY** 

**PROCEDURES** 

<u>107.01</u> EMERGENCY RESPONSE MANUAL

<u>REFERENCES</u>

<u>ATTACHMENTS</u>

MANDATORY REVIEW DATE

07/20/04

# **PURPOSE**

To ensure that all supervisory personnel are aware of and have access to predetermined, tested and approved responses to emergency situations.

To be utilized as a resource manual for command personnel and other administrative personnel during emergency situations.

### **AUTHORITY**

NRS 209.131

NRS 209.136

# RESPONSIBILITY

Each Warden/Facility Manager is responsible to provide specific, detailed instructions regarding each institution/facility, i.e., physical layout, unique characteristics, staffing patterns and other similar information

All supervisors are responsible to be aware of and follow emergency procedures as set forth in this manual.

### **DEFINITIONS**

**DIRECTOR** – The Director of the Nevada Department of Corrections

**EMERGENCY SITUATION** – Any significant disruption or normal facility or agency procedure, policy, or activity caused by riot, escape, fire, natural disaster, employee action, or other serious incidents.

**MUTUAL AID** – An agreement between various governmental agencies to provide assistance in times of emergency.

### **APPLICABILITY**

This regulation applies to all Department supervisory and command staff.

### **PROCEDURES**

1.1

# 107.01 EMERGENCY RESPONSE MANUAL

.01	EMERGENCI RESI ONSE MANUAL
	Emergency Response Manuals shall be maintained in the offices of the following:
	Director;
	Assistant Director of Operations;
	Wardens;
	Associate Wardens;
	Facility managers;
	Offender Management Administrator;
	Institution Central Control Centers;
	Inspector General;
	Employee Development Manager; and
	Attorney General's Office.

- 1.2 The Department's Emergency Response Manual is divided into separate sections as follows: (3-4209 through 3-4213)
  - Section I General Emergency Response Procedure.
  - Section II Hostage Procedure.
  - Section III Tear Gas/Less lethal Weapons Procedures.
  - Section IV Escape Procedure.
  - Section V Use of Force.
  - Section VI Fire Safety Procedure including evacuation of remote camps, utility maintenance, and casualty management.
  - Section VII Emergency Notification Procedure.
  - Section VII Emergency Evacuation Procedure.
  - Section IX External resources and Mutual Aid.
  - Section X Emergency Key Procedure.
  - Section XI Bombs and bomb Threat Action Plan.
  - Section XII Inmate Disturbance/Disruptive Behavior.
  - Section XIII– Employee Job Action/Work Stoppage.
- 1.3 Each institution/facility will maintain a log sheet in the Associate Warden Operations/Manager's Office.
  - 1.3.1 The log will be signed by all supervisory/command personnel indicating that they have reviewed the material and understand the material in the Emergency Response Manual.
  - 1.3.2 This log will also indicate the date reviewed.
  - 1.3.3 All supervisory/command staff must review this manual at least on an annual basis.
- 1.4 The EEO/Employee Development and Employee Relations Division will provide training to all new employees regarding appropriate emergency response procedures. (3-1208)
  - 1.4.1 Staff will be trained through drills, reviewing procedures, on-the-job training etc., at each institution/facility.

- 1.4.2 This training shall be documented. The Associate Warden of Operations will ensure a copy of the documentation is forwarded to the regional Employee Development Office.
- 1.5 The entire manual is to be considered confidential.
  - 1.5.1 At no time will these manuals be accessible to inmates.
  - 1.5.2 This manual will not be made available to anyone outside the Department without the specific approval of the Director upon the advice of the Inspector General.
  - operate upproving an and an anomal upon the unit to or the independent constant
  - 1.5.3 Loss of the manual or any portion thereof or any compromise of the manual's contents will be immediately reported to the Inspector General.
- 1.6 The Warden/Manager should include additional information in their manuals with specifics unique to their institution/facility.

Date

THIS PROCEDURE SUPERSEDES ALL PRIOR WRITTEN PROCEDURES ON THIS SPECIFIC SUBJECT.